Amendment No. 1 to HB1144

<u>Howell</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 815*

House Bill No. 1144

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-112, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(d) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the registration fee for one (1) school bus owned by a person under contract with a local education agency (LEA), as defined in § 49-1-103, for the provision of transportation services pursuant to § 49-6-2101, is equal to the fee charged for a school bus owned by an LEA. This subsection (d) does not prohibit a person under contract with an LEA for the provision of transportation services from registering more than one (1) school bus. The registration fee for each additional school bus owned by a person under contract with an LEA for the provision of transportation services pursuant to § 49-6-2101, is the respective fee specified in subsection (a).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.